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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applic. No. : 10/591,790 Confirmation No. 4511

Applicant : Rudi Kraus

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Title : Method for Managing and Monitoring the

Operation of a Plurality of Distributed

Hardware and/or Software that are integrated into at least one Communications Network, and

System for Carrying out the Method

Group Art Unit: 2121

Examiner : Darrin D. Dunn

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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment

Hon. Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated September 15, 2008, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.